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Respectfully submitted,

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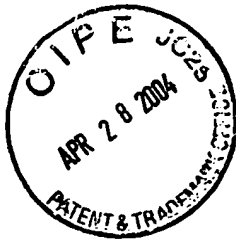
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IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: HAMILTON, Andrew D. et al. Conf.:  
Appl. No.: 10/799,713 Group: Unassigned  
Filed: March 15, 2004 Examiner: Unassigned  
For: METHODS OF DETECTING INTERACTIONS BETWEEN  
PROTEINS, PEPTIDES OR LIBRARIES THEREOF  
USING FUSION PROTEINS

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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April 28, 2004

Sir:

The following preliminary amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

This present submission includes: a claim set as amended and remarks.